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NEWS ITEMS FROM NEARBY TOWNS

Thumb Tales Tensely Told—Interesting Items Gleaned From Our Exchanges

Snover is having its third annual fair this week.

William McGregor, of McGregor, had eleven crates of onions stolen from his place recently.

C. H. Saph, who has been city clerk of Marine City for the past 12 years, has resigned that office.

Beets are coming in fast to the Sugar factory at Crosswell and the mill will soon be grinding out 1920 sugar.

C. P. O'Sullivan, of Chicago, has become a lawyer in Port Huron and has entered the firm of Walsh & Walsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Bye Munro, of East Kenosha, have packed their household goods and gone to New York to live.

The hardware men of this district held a large and spirited convention and dinner in Port Huron on Tuesday last.

The St. Clair River Country Club has raised its price of membership and will also increase its number of members.

The Port Huron police force made 121 arrests during the month of September. Ten arrests were made for intoxication.

The Imlay City Masonic lodge is now occupying its new quarters which was formerly the Bolly hotel. The new arrangement is complete.

County Red Cross nurses, Mollie McKinney and Flora Neal are working this week among the school children of Marysville and Marine City.

The Temple theatre in Crosswell has had the inside all torn out and the whole space thrown into the Biller store which makes that place a big emporium.

The Michigan Sugar Co. has opened a weigh station at Valley Centre, and the beets coming in are a No. 1 grade and promise a yield of 15 tons to the acre.

The Athol Manufacturing Co. will be the first industry to start work in Marysville. This plant is producing auto top material and has a force of about 100 persons.

Rev. Henry Mosley, pastor of the Congregational church in Richmond is teaching Esther Hills school while she is recovering from a severe automobile accident.

C. R. Townsend, aged 30, of Cass City, driving a new car, met with an accident last week which was thought would be fatal, and taken to his home with a broken back and other injuries.

Clarence Fitzgerald, G. T. car inspector at Richmond, had his face and eyes badly injured when a can of chlorine of lime exploded in his hands. The burning powder caused him intense agony.

June, as usual, was the banner month of weddings for 1920, ninety licenses being granted from St. Clair County Clerk Vincent's office. September went pretty good too, with sixty-eight licenses.

Fruit thieves were loading their truck in an orchard of a Romeo farmer, when the farmer located the half dozen men with a shot gun. They managed to make good their escape without being plugged.

The Victrola owned by the public library in Port Huron has a list of rural schools in the county which it goes to visit and entertain for a stated time and a stated sum. It has started on its annual trip.

C. L. Weil, consulting engineer of the Diamond Crystal Salt Company, has purchased the beautiful home of Frank J. Gorman on St. Clair river. The property has 192 feet frontage, and runs 600 feet back to the highway.

Fosterias school building, which housed the high school and all the grades, burned to the ground on October 1st. A week before Fosterias' grain elevator, which contained the village electric light plant, was destroyed by fire.

The morning after the annual sophomore reception to the freshmen in the Bad Axe school, about twenty-five of the latter appeared in school with shaved heads. We thought being was a back number these days and being done away with.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Yale, Mich., Oct. 4th, 1920
Council met in regular session, Mayor Fuller presiding.
Aldermen present, Elston, Fead, McIntyre, Hollenbeck, Slosser.
Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

Moved by Fead and supported by Elston that the following bills be allowed as recommended by the finance committee—Carried.

Geo. Youngs	\$ 63.00
C. F. Curtis	151.76
Betson Fire Brick Co.	13.89
Consolidated Coal Co.	510.98
H. S. B. W. Cochran Cor.	14.65
Detroit Stoker Co.	26.55
Electric Appliance Co.	320.98
H. W. Johns-Manville Co.	9.05
Jenkins Bros.	8.05
O. Kent	150.00
W. A. Woodruff	100.00
G. Woodruff	100.00
R. Secor	20.15
F. Ferguson	4.00
Staley & Bricker	9.75
L. & W. Fund	316.25
John Henry	100.00
H. T. Hennessy	54.05
Lewis Smith	96.00
J. H. Moore	1.50
C. Rounds	23.28
A. Main	1.00
Jos. Flynn	48.00
Mary M. Brown	15.00
Alvin Bricker	7.00
Mrs. Susan Bricker	7.00
Jacob Cascadden	86.00
J. Collins	3.50
Emerson Cooper	11.00
G. W. Elston	42.50
Ed Graybiel	3.50
John Gorman	35.00
Wm. Hyde	7.00
George Jordan	49.00
Wesley Keyworth	10.50
Jos. Kennedy	28.00
Orrin Lane	2.00
J. Long	7.00
Geo. Mitchell	10.50
Guy Mulhux	7.00
Lawrence Menerey	38.00
Elmore Putney	10.00
Lotan C. Read	75.00
L. M. Rector	3.50
Wm. Rath	7.00
Alex Robertson	7.00
R. Raymond	84.00
Elam Sloat	3.00
Eli Sheffield	2.25
Wm. Silverthorn	7.00
Bert Travis	7.00
Bert Walker	6.75
Ed Waldorff	6.15
R. B. Zavitz	14.00
Wharton & Co.	45.41
Aaron Windsor	75.00
Stamps, express, etc.	12.27

Moved by Fead, supported by Slosser that the city accept the plot of Bert Welch as shown in the Tappan & Law addition of the City of Yale.—Carried.

Moved by McIntyre, supported by Elston that the appointment by the Mayor of Charles Slosser and Wm. Hodgins, sr., to act on the board of registration Saturday, Oct. 30, be confirmed.—Carried.

On motion council adjourned.

A. WINDSOR, City Clerk.

MUSIC GREATLY ENJOYED

Members and friends attending the Methodist Episcopal church last Sunday morning enjoyed a rare treat afforded by the singing of Mrs. Laughlin and Miss Plantz, of Detroit. The first number was a duet, "Whispering Hope," followed by a solo, "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," sung by Mrs. Laughlin. The closing number, "Let the Lower Lights Be Burning," was also a duet.

The wonderful blending of these richly gifted, well trained voices was a revelation of the power and possibilities of the finest and most responsive musical instrument ever created, the human voice.

Those who were present hope to have the pleasure of hearing these talented singers again.

WATER WASTE

Yale city authorities wish to notify water takers to conserve on the supply and use no more than what is absolutely needed.

Saturday night the big tank was filled to the top and between one o'clock and seven in the morning over half of it was used for some purpose, and the authorities are at a loss to know where it went.

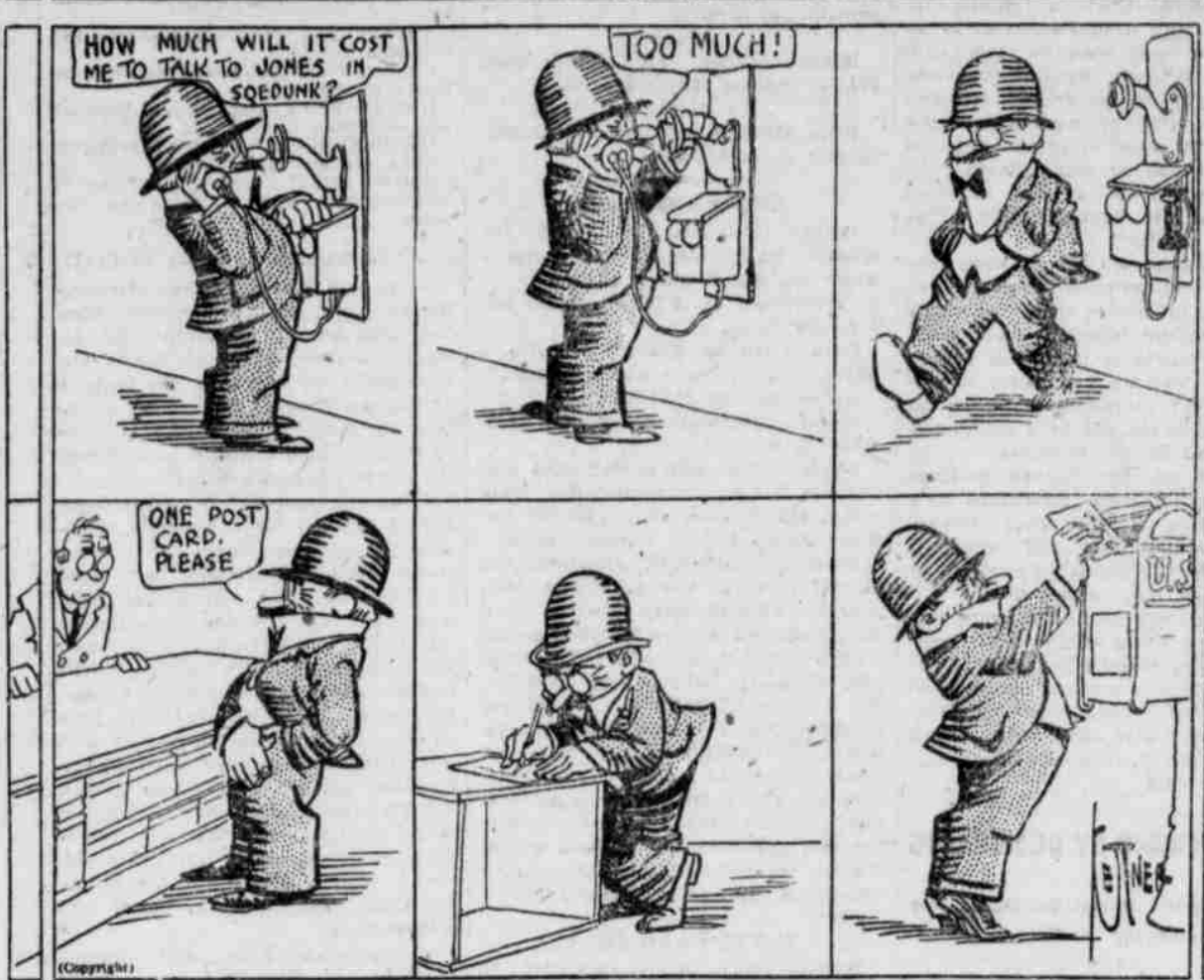
Had a fire broken out during this time the plant would have been in bad shape to fight it.

Anyone leaving water taps open are hereby notified to stop the practice or suffer the penalty which will be imposed upon the offenders.

See to it that your taps are all closed when you retire for the night. A. Windsor, Commissioner

Board and rooms at third house south of Pere Marquette depot, Yale. Mrs. A. H. Beckett.

Ol' John B. Thrift, Sr.



DELIGHTFUL DINNER PARTY.

Mrs. V. A. Lacy very delightfully entertained at a dinner party on Tuesday and social evening.

Covers were laid for twelve at a very prettily appointed table and the guests found their places by means of place cards, on each of which was a conundrum which proved a happy means of preventing any formality.

The delicious three-course dinner, and the bright, pleasant conversational which followed proved Mrs. Lacy an ideal hostess.

Avoca Woman Dies Sunday

Avoca, Oct. 4.—Mrs. Rachael Mericle, aged 84 years, widow of the late David Mericle, died Sunday afternoon at her residence in Avoca. She was one of the oldest residents in the township. She leaves two sons, Maurice, of Avoca, and Reid, of Port Huron, and two daughters, Mrs. Lew Middleton and Mrs. R. J. Dagg, of Avoca, and a number of grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mericle were held from the Avoca M. P. church on Wednesday afternoon and interment made in Spring Hill cemetery.

Will of Dan'l Foley Probated

The last will of Daniel Foley, deceased, has been filed in probate court. Property of the deceased is bequeathed to his nearest relatives under the will, while it devotes the sum of \$200 to Father Peter Laughran of the parish of the Catholic church at Emmett for use of the church. James Foley is appointed executor of the estate by the will.

The estate left by deceased is estimated in value at \$10,000 and upwards in real, and \$7,000 in personal property.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Frederick D. Mumby, Pastor. Morning service at 10:30 "Noah, the Flood and the Meaning of the Rainbow." This is the first of a series of sermons on "The Life and example of some Old Testament Worthies." Good music.

Sunday school at 11:45. Studies in Matthew. "Baptism and Temptation of Jesus." What about Rally Day?

Evening worship at 7:30. "One Thing Thou Lackest." The story of a rich and influential young man who had everything but—Chorus choir.

Prayer service and question box on Thursday evening at 7:30. Questions mailed or handed to the pastor, or dropped in the box provided, will be read and answered if possible, every Thursday evening until further notice.

FOR SALE—House & lot, North Main street. House new, city water and lights. New stable. 3 lots; new barn and shed. Apply to M. F. Downey. 28-2

FOR SALE—Horse, good driver. Also good buggy and harness. Also large size. Favorite base burner. Apply Expositor. 28-2

Advertise in the Expositor.

It pays to trade at home.

SCHOOL NOTES

Yale 21; Brown City 14

In an exciting game which furnished many thrills to the spectators, Yale High school defeated the Brown City aggregation on Tuesday afternoon on the local gridiron by a score of 21 to 14.

Brown City put up a strong game but were clearly outclassed by our boys in nearly all departments of the game, both on defense and offense. Except for costly fumbles by the local boys Brown City would not have scored either of their two touchdowns.

Yale has shown great improvement in playing form since the first game and show great promise of developing into an eleven which will hold its own with any other team in this section.

No student in the high school received a failure in the first month's work in any subject. This speaks well for the quality of the work done.

Seven more seats have been added to the seventh and eighth grade room. The percent of attendance is high for the first month.

Pupils are bringing many plants and flowers this week to decorate the rooms.

SUMMER RESORT SALE.

Grinnell Bros. are this week announcing their annual sale of summer resort pianos. This gives any one wanting an instrument a fine chance to save money on it.

There are many rare bargains advertised in the list, and you will do well to see their representative, Gilbert Tebeau, who is located at D. M. Davis furniture store. Mr. Tebeau has been working for this firm in the Yale territory and has done much business since coming here. He is a very pleasing gentleman to meet, and we are pleased to see him making a success.

OUR BAND GOES TO SNOVER

Next Friday the Yale Cornet Band will furnish music at the Snover fair, and it is expected that quite a number of our citizens will accompany them.

The boys have been practicing hard during the past few months, and have been giving concerts in some of the nearby towns. They are improving nicely under the able leadership of Jay Munro and we are pleased to see that they are landing some good jobs.

We can assure the people of Snover of real band music for the one day our boys will be there.

The barn of Edward Leverenz on a farm near Mt. Clemens burned the other day, and no one thought of searching it to see if any person was inside. After the fire the bodies of Leverenz's two small sons, aged 4 and 7 were found burned to a crisp. They probably set the fire with matches.

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FARM BUREAU NOTES

A big drainage demonstration meeting will be held on the farm of John Patterson and Son, one mile northeast of Columbus station, Friday, Oct. 15, at 1 o'clock. Arrangements are being made by the St. Clair county Farm Bureau in co-operation with the Michigan Agricultural College and the Executive Committee of the County Bureau is preparing for the best attended and most important event in the program of the organizations for this year.

The drainage work being carried on through the co-operation of a few of the leading farmers of St. Clair county, the Farm Bureau and the Michigan Agricultural College, in spite of delayed tile shipments, has been making very encouraging progress and the applications made for the work next year comprise between three and four hundred acres. The project is being accomplished by means of modern power ditching machinery, and all who attend the meeting at Mr. Patterson's will have an opportunity to see the big machine in operation, which is capable of digging as high as 160 rods of trench per day.

A. J. Smith, president of the St. Clair County Farm Bureau, reports that rarely, if ever, has such an array of talent been secured for an agricultural meeting in this part of the state. Among the prominent speakers who will address the meeting are Dr. Eben Mumford, State Leader of Co. Agents O. E. Robey, one of the leading drainage specialists in the country and other prominent agricultural men from East Lansing. Walter VanHaitma, who is superintending the demonstrations will explain the operation of the traction ditcher making of connections and all other essentials to good drainage, calling attention to the various points as the crowd is conducted over the 25 acre tract being drained by Mr. Patterson and Son.

Mr. VanHaitma now ranks as the leading drainage engineer of the state and no one can afford to miss this opportunity of getting first hand information on underdrainage. A number of the leading farmers of the county upon whose farms tile drainage demonstrations have been installed during the past three years will also tell of their experience with tile. These talks given by men who have had experience on their own farms will constitute one of the most important parts of the program. Included in this list of local speakers are North Westbrook and Peter Distelrath, of China Township; H. A. Shaw, Cottleville; Chris Stien, St. Clair; F. P. Wilson & Son, Kimball; H. J. Vogt & Son, Columbus.

Another interesting and instructive feature of the big event will be the septic tank and sewer system which is also being installed on the Patterson farm. This, too, will be open for inspection and thoroughly explained by Prof. Robey and Mr. VanHaitma. It is now possible to have all of the comforts and conveniences of the city in the rural home at a comparatively small expense and this meeting will afford an opportunity to learn about the most important adjunct for the farm home.

Every Farm Bureau member is urged to advertise this among his neighbors and bring an auto load to the big meeting.

Come and see how St. Clair county's biggest problems are being solved.

OBITUARY

John Davis died at his home, 602 E. Catherine street, Ann Arbor, at 12:15 a. m., Saturday, Oct. 2, 1920. He had been a constant sufferer ever since the last of July. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Burial was made beside his son Lyle at Forest Hill cemetery.

Yale friends of Mrs. Davis offer their sympathy in her bereavement.

A SAMPLE BARGAIN

We have listed one of the best farms in Emmett township, 6 1/2 miles from Yale. Good buildings, well fenced, lots of water. There are 120 acres in this tract and it can be bought if sold at once for \$10,000. The owner is only asking \$1,500 down and long time on the balance. If you want something a little better than the average farm see us about this one.

YALE REALTY EXCHANGE

Miss Leona Holcomb, graduate of St. Stephens Conservatory of Music, will receive pupils after October 11 at her home on North Main street, Yale. Phone 32. 27-2

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM THE FILES OF THE EXPOSITOR IN 1900

The Shakespeare Club met with Marcia Beecher.

Seventy students were enrolled in the high school.

A cigar factory was opened in the Scott building.

Bert Jardine was at Marlette helping out at a tonsorial parlor.

Aggie Henry was editor of the school notes for the week of Oct. 5

Chauncey Stevens went to Toronto to enter the Veterinary College.

Charles Sloat was moving from his farm to Yale and taking up the dray business.

The Disciples gave a big annual supper on the 5th at the home of Elder D. McCall.

Petitions were being circulated praying Uncle Sam to establish rural mail delivery at Yale.

Ira A. Jones of Company H, 17th U. S. Infantry, was just home from the Philippines. He was ten months in service there and was so used up with malarial fever and other diseases brought on by the climate that his discharge was ordered by the surgeon.

AUCTION SALES

N. C. Ross, of Harmony Stock farm, 1 1/2 miles south and 1 mile east of Blaine, or 2 miles north and 1 1/2 mile east of Atkins Station on Thursday, Oct. 14. Sale at 12 o'clock noon. Jas. Turnbull, auctioneer.

A. S. Parks in city of Yale, Saturday, October 9, at two o'clock. Fred Smith, auctioneer.

Chas. P. Alexander, in city of Yale, Saturday, Oct. 9 at 3:30 o'clock. Fred Smith, auctioneer.

Mrs. Helen Grimes, Saturday, Oct. 16th, at residence on Kennebec, Yale. Household goods. Sale at 2:00 o'clock. Fred Smith, auctioneer.

Joseph Martin, Thursday, Oct. 14th, at premises 1 1/2 miles south of Fargo, or 1 1/2 miles east and 1 1/4 miles north of Avoca, at Spring Hill Farm. Sale at one o'clock p. m. sharp. Usual terms. Geo. W. Bell, auctioneer.

W. F. Johnson, Monday, Oct. 18, 1/2 mile south and 1/2 mile west of Fargo, live stock and agricultural implements. Sale at one o'clock. Fred Smith, auctioneer.

D. A. Ferguson, Saturday, Oct. 23, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., household goods, at residence on Kennebec street. Fred Smith, auctioneer.

M. F. Downey, Saturday, Oct. 16th, 1 mile north and 1 mile west of Yale, at one o'clock p. m. usual terms. Farm live stock, implements, etc. Geo. W. Bell, auctioneer.

C. F. Kennedy, Wednesday, Oct. 13th, at premises opposite race track. Farm live stock, implements, etc. Sale at one o'clock. Fred Smith, auctioneer. Usual terms.

State To Change Back to Central Time October 17th

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 6th—Governor Sleeper has issued a proclamation putting an end to the use of Eastern time in Michigan on Sunday, Oct. 17th.

In the proclamation he calls attention to the fact that Eastern time was adopted for the spring and summer months and expressed the opinion that it is now time to return to Central time. Before sending out this proclamation the governor communicated with the Boards of Trade and Chamber of Commerce of the cities of the state and they all recommended a return to Central time with the exception of Bay City and Detroit. The business men of those two communities announced that they would continue to use Eastern time throughout the winter.

Our business men seem to be perfectly satisfied with the present time and it isn't likely the change will be made in Yale.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Alfred Martin, Minister. Morning worship, 10:30. Subject, "Nature's Counter-charges." An autumn message.

Sunday school, 11:45. Mrs. L. Roy Fuller, superintendent.

Evening worship, 7:30. Subject, "What Your Church Expects of You."

The communicant class will meet at the manse Monday at 7:30. You are cordially welcome.